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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of David J. Brayden

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Oral Vaccine Compositions

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two (2) month extension of time, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), to respond to the Office Action, dated November 30, 2004, from February 28, 2005 to April 30, 2005.

USPTO Form PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment is attached to cover the extension fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

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